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 ORGANOLEPTIC STABILIZERS AND PRESERVATIVES
 OF FOOD AND BEVERAGES AND FOR PREVENTING
 OXIDATIVE CORROSION OF METALS
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☒ Signed Declaration.

☒ Small entity status is entitled to be, and hereby is, asserted for this application.

☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for ____ month(s) is hereby made, under provisions of §1.136(a); a check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed per §1.17.

☐ Other:

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Respectfully submitted,

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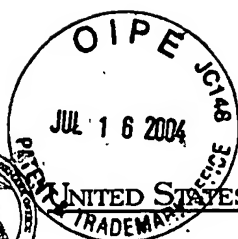
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$631 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1081 for a Small Entity

- \$385 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$631

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 03 FC:2201 172.00 OP
 04 FC:2202 459.00 OP

- \$172 for 4 independent claims over 3.
- \$459 for 51 total claims over 20.

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